sembly draw bills of Exchange upon any Person or persons Lib. L. L. Society or Company in Europe or the West Indies and the No. 64. same be protested and the protested bills be returned unto this province within five yeares After the Date of such bills that then the Debt Occasioned by the non acceptance or non payment of such bills shall be accounted a Debt of Equall nature with any Specialty and shall and may be Recovered by action of Debt in any Court of Record of this province without alleadging the Custome of Merchants in the Declaracon togeather with tenn p Cent Damages and three Shillings & Six pence Charge of Protest as aforesaid of any drawer or Indorser of such bills of Exchange their Executors or administrators Provided the same be first Legally demanded of such drawer or Indorser their Executors or administrators any Law Vssage or Custome to the Contrary notwithstanding.

And be it Enacted by the authority aforesaid that one Act p. 370 of Assembly made at a session of Assembly begun and held at the port of Annapolis the fifth day of September in the third yeare of the Reigne of our Sovereigne Lady Queen Anne &ca Annoq Dui one thousand seven hundred & foure Intituled an Act Ascertaineing what Damages shall be allowed upon protested bills of Exchange & Every article Clause matter and thing therein Contained shall be & is hereby utterly

repealed and made Void.

By the house of Delegates 14th December 1708

Read & assented to by the house of Delegates.

Signed p Order Richd Dallam Cl: ho: Del:

December 15th 1708

Then was the within Bill read & assented to by her Maj^{tys} hon^{ble} Councill, & Sign'd p order B Bladen Cl. Council

December 17th 1708

On the behalfe of our Sovereigne Lady Anne Queen of Great Brittain &c^a I will this be a Law. Jo: Seymour

An Act impowring Certain Trustees to sell a Tract of Land in Talbot County Called ffranckford S^t Michaels late the Estate and Inheritance of W^m Harris late of Calvert County and with the money thereby ariseing to purchase other Lands for the Vse of Joseph Harris & Benjamin Harris sons of the said W^m Harris and the heires of their Bodys according to the direction of the Last will & Testam^t of the said W^m Harris.

Whereas it is Represented to this Present Generall Assembly that William Harris late of the Clifts in Calvert County P. 371